



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 522

LCO No. 1607



Referred to Committee on VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Introduced by:
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***AN ACT CONCERNING PRESCRIPTION DRUGS ADMINISTERED BY
NURSING HOMES TO VETERANS.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 19a-521c of the general statutes be amended to require
- 2 nursing home facilities and residential care homes to dispense and
- 3 administer prescription drugs obtained by a patient through a
- 4 prescription drug program or health plan offered by the United States
- 5 Department of Veterans Affairs even if the method for dispensing or
- 6 administering such prescription drugs is different from the method set
- 7 forth in such facility or home's policy for dispensing and administering
- 8 prescription drugs.

Statement of Purpose:

To facilitate the administration of prescription drugs to veterans who are patients at nursing home facilities.